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THEREOF

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2. A copy of each patent, publication or other information listed on the modified PTO form 1449 is enclosed, except as otherwise indicated.
3. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$180 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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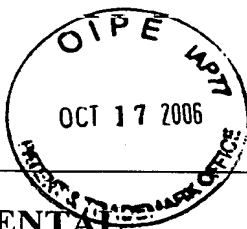
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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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						YES	NO
	0 857 949*	August 12, 1998	EP				
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**OTHER DOCUMENTS**

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